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1, George Street,  
Mansion House,  
C.C.

To His Excellency

Señor Rufino de Elizalde  
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Excellency,

I had the honour  
yesterday, to receive  
your despatch dated  
- November transmitting  
the patent signed  
by His Excellency  
the President by  
which I am nominated  
Consul General of  
the Argentine Republic  
in this country,  
together with patents

of nomination for

Sam<sup>l</sup>. Phibbs Esq as  
Consul at Liverpool

Graham Gilmore Esq:

Lyons

John Fair, Esq. London

John Smith, Jun<sup>r</sup> Esq; Hull

J. O. Brien, Esq. Dublin  
and

Lewis J. Innes Esq:

Gibraltar

I have conveyed  
to these gentlemen

the gratifying  
announcement of the  
receipt of the kind  
communication of  
Your Excellency  
and shall forthwith  
make the requisite  
application in order  
to obtain for each  
the Exequatur from  
Her Majesty  
I beg to take

this opportunity to  
repeat the expression  
of my thanks to  
His Excellency the  
President for the  
distinguished trust  
he has been pleased  
to confer upon me  
and also my warm  
acknowledgements  
to your Excellency  
for the manner in  
which it has been  
conveyed to me.

I have the honor to remain  
Your Excellency's most faithful  
M. B. Sampson. Supt.